

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of Curcio et al :  
 Serial No. 10/657,483 : Art Unit: 1763  
 Filed: September 8, 2003 : Examiner: A. Olsen  
 Title: **METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR** : Confirmation No. 7494  
       **PRODUCING Z-AXIS INTERCONNECTION** :  
       **ASSEMBLY OF PRINTED WIRING BOARD** :  
       **ELEMENTS** :

Docket No. END920000122US3 (IEN-10-5530-D2)

REPLY TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop RCE  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P. O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the Amendment herein in response to the communication mailed on April 25, 2007. Please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the below amendments and comments.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.